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READ/WRITE DEVICE FOR AN INFORMATION PLATE WITH LOAD/UNLOAD
MECHANISM

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the official Office Action dated May 19,
2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: